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BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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In the Matter of

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RAD REFERRAL 15L-39

State Tea Party Express

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CERTIFICATION

I, Shelley E. Garr, recording secretary for the Federal Election Commission executive session on June 14, 2016, do hereby certify that the Commission decided by a vote of 5-1, on an amended pre-meeting tally, to:

MUR # 7085

1. Open a MUR in RR 15L-39.
2. Find reason to believe that State Tea Party Express violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(c) and 11 C.F.R. § 109.10(b) and (e).
3. Authorize conciliation with State Tea Party Express prior to a finding of probable cause to believe.
4. Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated March 4, 2016.
5. Approve the Conciliation Agreement, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated March 4, 2016.
6. Approve the appropriate letter.

Commissioners Goodman, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision. Commissioner Hunter dissented.

Attest:

June 16, 2016
Date

Shelley E. Garr

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Deputy Secretary of the Commission

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